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Hongkong, June 1, 1881. THE STEAMSHIP "JAPAN."

Captain T. S. GARDNER, FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. THE above Steamer having arrived, Con-

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NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS.

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G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, May 26, 1881.

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Captain C. Jaceson, will be despatched on or about the 1st June. For Freight and Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, May 25, 1881.

FOR MANILA (DIRECT.) The Spanish Steamer La Churritea." Capt. ABAROA, will have immediate despatch for

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Hongkong, May 31, 1881. FOR MANILA.

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RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, May 31, 1881. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW

The Steamship

Captain Young, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 5th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

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Hongkong, May 28, 1881. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR YOKOHAMA (DIRECT.) The Co.'s Steamship

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The Steamship BEARD, Commander, expected here on or about the 5th Instant, will have immediate despatch for the above Ports.

PUSTAU & Co., Agents. Hongkong, June 2, 1881.

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SARDINES. Ham TONGUE and Chicken SAUSAGE.

MACCARONI. VERMICELLI. SAUSAGES.

RIGGING and SAIL-MAKING promptly executed. Hongkong, May 20, 1881.

# To-day's Advertisements.

### PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Anction, TO MORROW.

the 4th June at Noon, at the Godown of Messrs H. A. H. ESMAIL, CH TS PERSIAN OPIUM (More for less damaged by sacwater);

te at Pirchaser's risk on the fall of the

H. N. MODY. June 3, 1881. Hongkong NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS.

The Co. of Steamship Commandant Hosse YOK WAMA. TO-MORROW, the 4th DE CHAMPEAUX,

MPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant LEQUERRE, SUNDAY, the G. DE CHAMPEAUX

Hongkong, June 3, 1881

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

THE S. S. Moray having arrived from. the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bill of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take infinediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge will be

ence landed and stored, at Consignees risk JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, June 3, 1881.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Gleneron having arrived Goods—with the exception of Opium—are hundred days out, in lat. 8° N., long. being landed at their risk into the Godowns 108°30 E. of the Undersigned, whence and/or from The British steamer Jason reports: Left the Wharves of Boats delivery may be ob. London April 17th; arrived Port Said on

Optional Cargo will be forwarded undess notice to the contrary be given before Noon 4th May; arrived Penang on 23rd and left To-DAY, the 3rd June. 10th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. . Hongkong, June 3, 1881.

STEAMSHIP "SINDH." COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship Euplirate, from London, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whonce delivery may be obtained immediately after landing Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Con

gen hot requelting to do be landeddiero."

Edds of Yading will be countersigned by the Undersigned Goods remaining unclaimed after Far-DAY, the 10th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

> Hongkong, June 3, 1881. NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT AID, NAPLES, AND

1881, at Noon, the Company's S. S. IRAOUADDY, Commandant DIDIER, with MAILS. PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the Cargo and Specie will be registered for

London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marsellles for the principal places of Europe.
Shipping Orders will be granted until

Cargo will be received on board until 4 m., Specie and Parcels until- 3 p.m. on the 15th of June, 1881. Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.

Contents and value of Packages are re-

### SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. June 2, Hainan; American steamer, 281; Conner, Haiphong May 30, and Holhow June 1, General.—Avone. June 3, Diamante, British steamer, 514,

R. F. Cullen, Manila May 31, General RUSSELL & Co. June 3, 6 a.m., Moray, British steamer, 1427, M. J. Butcher, Calcutta May 18, Penang 25, and Singapore 28, General. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. June 3, Chinkneng, British steamer, from

Glengron, British steamer, 1996, Taylor, London April 24, and Singapore May 28. 6 p. mr., General, -JARDINE, MA-June 3. Hilda, Maria, German barque, 276, Johannsen, Swansea Dec. 15, Coal.-

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. June 3, Jason, British steamer, 1411, R. J. Brown, London April 17, Penang May 24, and Singapore 26, General.—Butten-June 3, Sindh, French steamer, 2090, Lequerre, Marseilles May 1, Naples 3, Port

Said V. Strez 8, Aden 13, Galle 21, Singapore 27, and Saigon 30, Mails and General. -MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. June 3, Jan Peter, German barque, 336, Ewert, Bangkek May 9, General. - Siems-

DEPARTURES. Himalaya, for Shanghai. Schucan, for Whampon.

SEN & CO.

3, Horsequards, for Singapore. China, for Shanghai. Margrethe, for Newchwang.

Diamoute, for Amby. E. M. Young, for Nagasaki. PASSENGERS.

Per Sindle, for Hongkong: from Marsoilles, Messrs Falconer, Comte, Brelin, and Marques, Mirs Leniaire; from Naples, Mrs Robinson's amali ; from Singapore, Messrs J. H. Wong and Even, and 1 Chinese; from Saidon, 12 Chinese - For Shanghai; from Marseilles, Mr. and Mrs Bois, and Mr T. Rodriguez (Spanish - Minister) .- For Yoko hama from Marseilles, Mesars Klaas, Chimatsu Sudumit, Asano K., Asano Y., and Shirose; from Saigon, Mr Le Breton Por Glenavon, from London, Mr and Mrs G: Smith; bliby and maid, Miss Smith, Master Smith, Messrs Wagner and Wilfred. and 98 Chinese from Straits.

Per Jason, from London, Mrs Reeves for Per Hainani, from Haiphong, &c.,

Per Diamante, from Manila, one Euro pean cabing two Europeans deck, and 110 Per Moray, from Straits, 200 Chinese. Per Jan Peter, from Bangkok, 12 Chi

Per Wimalaya, for Shanghai, 10 Chinese Per Horsequards, for Singapore, 530 Chi-Per China, for Shanghai, 11 Chinese.

Per Diamante, for Amoy, 20 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS. The American steamer Hainan reports Left Haiphong May 30th; strong N.N.E. winds and rain to Hoihow. In Hoihow H.M.S. Magpie, and French man-of-war

Left Holhow June 1st; fresh N.E. wind and fine weather throughout. The British steamer Diamante reports Had westerly winds and squally weather first part; latter part moderate N.E. winds The British steamer Moray reports: Fine

weather throughout. May 30th, spoke the Glen steamer S. G. K. J., 470 miles from from the above Ports, Consignees Singapore; same day, spoke German barque of Cargo are hereby informed that their R. D. P. G., from Dover for Japan, one

30th, detained 62 hours in Bitter Lakes on account of a steamer on shore; left Suez ou 24th; arrived Singapore on 26th and Cargo remaining undelivered after the left on 28th; up the China Seas had light variable winds; arrived Hongkong on 3rd June. On Monday, the 30th May at 10 a.m., passed the steamer Glencoe. Captain Gulland, wished to be reported, all well, also that he had experienced severe gales. je10 On Thursday, the 2nd June at 9.30 a.m. passed a steamer, supposed to be the Lou-POST OFFICE NOTICES.

### MAILS will close:-For YOKOHAMA.-Per S. S. Menzaleh, To-morrow, the 4th

inst. Registry ceases at 10.15 a.m. Mail closes at 10.30 a.m. Paid Correspondence may then be posted in the moveable box on board the Packet.

Per Diamante, at 11.30 a.m., on Satur-For SWATOW. Per Ast, at 11:30 a.m.

For MANILA. Per Esmeralda, at 3.30 p.m., . day, the 4th June. For SHANGHAL Per S. S. Sindh, To-morrow, the inst, Registry ceases at 4.45 p.m.

Mail closes at 5 p.m. Late Letters received from 5.10 to 5.30 p.m. with 10 cents Late Rec. Paid Correspondence may then be posted in the moveable box on board the For SAIGON .-Per Nona, at 4.30 p.m. To morrow, the

For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW.-Per Kunngtung, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 4th inst FOR HOIHOW PAKHOI AND HAI Per Hainan, at 5 p.m. To-morrow, the 4th inst. For SHANGHAL .-Per Glendron, at 9 a.m., on Monday, the

Per Donubes at 9 a.m.; on Monday, 6th inst., instead of as previously

Per Lennar, at 3.30 p.in., on Tuesday FOR STRAITS AND BOMBAY .-Per Avoce, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the at 8.5 this expenses of hist., instead of as previously no-

FOR KOBE AND YOKOBAMA. Per Takango Maru, at 5 pms, FOT NAGASAKI AND YOKOHAMA. Per Maldecoa, at 5 p.m., on Friday

Not Responsible for Debts.

Terther the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Chere of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-Sr. VINCENT, British barque, Capt. Robt.

PYRMONT, German barque, Captain Schröder.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Solidor, French barque, Roullier. - Carlowitz & Co. Reynolds. - Rozario & Co. WYCLIFFE, British steamer, Captain Paul

Berner. Borneo Company, Limited. LENNOX, British steamer, Captain D. Scott.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. ALEX. NEWTON, British barque, Captain Newton. Captain. LOCHIEL: British 3-masted schooner, Capt. D. S. Ewan.—Siemssen & Co.

CHRISTINE, British barque, Captain Wildfang, -Siemasen & Co. Rose M., British barque, Captain L Black.—Eduard Schellhass & Co. CLARISSA B. CARVER, Amer. ship, Capt. Leroy Dow. - Douglas Lapraik & Co. AMETHYST, American barque, Captain J. Slocum. - Captain\_\_\_ WOODVILLE, British barque, Capt. Lewis

Rodd.—Arnhold Karberg & Co. Welle, German steamer, Captain J. Massmann. - Wieler & Co. Y. Schlerloh. - Eduard Schellhass & Co.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

he sent in before 10 a.m. 11 a.m. - Menzuleh leaves for Yokohama. Noon .- Diaminte leaves for Amoy. 4-p.m. - Esmeralda leaves for Manila.

Auction. Noon. - Auction of Persian Opium at godown of Messrs H. A. Asger & H.

# General Memoranda.

Sunday: June 5:-Daylight .- Sindh leaves for Shanghai Daylight.-Kwangtung leaves for Coast

Monday. June 6 :-Local Banks close. 6 p.m. - Meeting of Victoria Ladge. Tuesday, June 7:-

4 p.m. - Lennor leaves for Singapore, &c. THURSDAY, June 9 :-4 p.m.—English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe.

FRIDAY, June 16:-Daylight .- Avoca leaves for Bombay. Goods per Sindh undelivered after Noon subject to rent and landing charges. Goods per Japan, undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Glenavon undelivered after this

date subject to rent. SATURDAY, June 11 :-Daylight.-Mitsu Bishi Mail leaves for 4 p.m. -Charlion leaves for Port Darwin;

Thursday Island, &c. TUESDAY, June 14:-3 p.m. - Occidental & Oriental S. S. Cor's Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San

Francisco. THURSDAY, June 16:-Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports of

Call and Europe.

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nublication of this dinger MONGROWE PRIDES TUNE SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA

Ice House Lane corner, was sold to day for the sum of \$65,000. The Blue Houses (Lot 65) seem to be still changing hands, as they were resold to-day for \$130,000: April the price paid was \$100,000.

WE note from the reports of the Moras and Jason that the Glencoe was passed, being reported well, on the morning of the 30th, 470 miles North of Singapore. XENIA, American barque, Captain N. E. the Glencoc was expected in Singapore on the 31st, she was evidently keeping well up to time, spite of heavy weather.

> Law Notice. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

(Before the . Hon. Francis Snoreden .. Acti - Chief Justice) ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. Suit No. 63. - Woo Mut Yu v. Thomsen. -Hearing before a Special Jury.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

MEETING THIS AFTERNOON

· Friday, May 3. . Proceeding's of a meeting of the Legisla-LOUISA, Germ. 3-masted schooner, Capt. | tive Council of Hongkong held this after-John Pope Hennessy); the Acting Chief Justice (Hon. F. Snowden), the Acting Colonial Secretary, (Hon. Dr. F. Stewart)

Notice of Optional Cargo per Sindh to the Attorney General, (Hon. E. L. O'Malley); the Acting Treasurer, (Hon. M. S. Tonnochy); and the Hon. Ng Choy and Hor. F. B. Johnson, unofficial members.

THE CENSUS RETURNS. The Governor said they were aware that under the instructions from H. M. Government the Census had been taken for this Colony for the year 1881. The former was taken at the end of 1876. It was submitted to Sir A. Kennedy a few days before

left the Colony for Queensland. He considered it was a very unusual, and almost unprecedented thing for the same Governor to transmit to H. M. Government the returns of two successive census returns. They are all aware that the census is generally taken every ten years; but ithappened that only four years and four months have clapsed since the lat census in this Colony: But apart attenther from what might be unusual in the official procedure, he found on looking at the returns he was now about to put on the table something else unusual and almost unprecedented. A comparison of the census in 1881 with the census in December 1876. showed an unusual amount of real progress and substantial prosperity such as he be lieved could not be equalled in the Australian Colony and he believed was unprecedented in the Crown Colonies. And now putting this census returns before the Council and moving, as he would do at the end of his statement, that it be printed, he gave every member of the Council an opportunity making any remarks that he may think fi lony of Hongkong had really fulfilled the ob whatever in this Colory.

upon these returns. They would enable the Council to consider three questions. They would enable them to decide how far the Cojects for which it was established. They would mable them to determine whother it was true what they had all heard-namely that there were no trades or manufactures enable fhem to decide the question recently discussed and which was being considered at his moment in this Colony, namely whether portant sales and transfer of land that have taken place of fate are speculative or whether they are really a bona result of the commercial progress of this Colony. In respect to the latter he was placing upon the liable a return which had been prepared in the Surveyor General's Department in consequence of a minute of his, in which he called attention to a publication of transactions in landed property in Hongkong, and he called upon the officers to have that return checked and verified. Accordingly that return, which they had now all seen, was transmitted to the Action Surveyor General. He had now furnished the exact account of the transactions which had taken place in land, and the sale of property, from his books, from the 1st of January last year, to the 11th of May of this year. Briefly he thought that on the whole this corroborated

what appeared in the daily press .- The summary given at the end of his report was to this effect. The total value of properties bought by Chinese from foreigners \$1,710,036; the total value of property bought by the Chinese from the Govern ment \$117,785; the total value of pro porty bought by foreigners from eigners \$216,750; by foreigners from the Government \$5,060, by foreigners from Chinese \$16,450. Now this large item. \$1,710,000, a transfer of property almos entirely for commercial purposes to the tinese Community since last year, was unbledly an event of great importance as it speculative or was it justified by the turns now laid on the table ! In the first place what did they learn from the Census returns of the Registrar General. They found that the population had risen from 139,000 in 1876 to 160,402 in 1881, showing in 4 years and 4 months an increase 21,258. In this increase the Chinese population take 20.532. The Registrar General adds that the European and American Community is larger by 273, and the increase among the Portuguese, Germans, and Italians, is among women and children; the male scruit population has decreased. taking the various subjects there has been very slight decrease in the number of adult males of from 342 to 336. There has been an increase in the number of boys and girls. From the Portuguese there has been a falling off in adult males from 418 in 1876 to 384 at present, but considerable increase in the women and The next American Mail may be expected children. From the German, French and to arrive here on or about the Said Children. From the German, French and American there had been, a falling off, but an instruction dates to the The general falling off in the male, adult population is very alight. It is ef interest population is very alight. It is ef interest crasse of Rule of population of 273

They had to pensider this, had the mercantile occupations of the Chinese been

with Jur harbour, transferring

goods from steamer, from shore

tion which he had been saking, and of the inhabitants in the Colony. The

following were the changes which had taken place since the last Census with respect to the Chinese Merchants and those who were concerned in the trade and commerce of the Colony. The trading liongs in the Colony at the date of the last Census was 215 and now 295; Chinese traders showed an increase from 287 to over 2000. Chinese hawkers had increased from

142 to 455. The number of Chinese dealing in money had also increased from 40 280. The teachers of shrofling had increased from 9 to 14. Dealers in bullion did not appear in any provious return ; they were now put down as 34. Money changers had not increased from 1876 to 1881, the number being then and now alike 111; but while in 1876 there were no Chinese hawkers returned, there were now 55, to be found. Cotton and yarn merchants had increased. from 38 to 58. Tes dealers, and rice dealers cal officers of the Colony, knowing that had also increased largely. Coal dealers this semi-governmental duty and one of no had increased from 16 to 20. Those slight importance was actually being perwho dealt with fire arms and such like. from 15 to 20. Foreign goods dealers increased from 167 to 191. Compradores had increased from 77 to 95; and

poon, present H. E. the Governor (Sir ship's compradores from 67 to 113. Chinese ship charterers had also increased from to 41. Thus they saw that the Chinese engaged in the commercial transactions of the Colony had increased very considerably and looking to the increase which he pointed out they might consider that the \$1,100,000 but to note what instruments he used. He which had recently been paid, since January last for property for commercial purposes was justified. There was another question accustomed to associate with a dentist's room. that might be asked. They had often heard both here and outside of Hongkong that ence and interested him as much as there were no local manufactures whatever. | dentist could. Chinese architects appeared The present census returns showed an in- in the returns for the first time and crease of bamboo manufacturers from 93 numbered 5. He found one geomancer in

31 : engineers 10 to 121 : gold beaters 41 was not coincident with a decline in the pium revenue. There had been a slight lecline under the heading of tinsmiths; whom there were now 194. In workers | taese students were old men. in sandal wood, sapan wood, de, there had also been increases, some of them large increases. As to sauce manufacturers he might point out that although there was an

> only was the manufacture of soy carried numerous purchases of property were bondon, but ketchup was made to a very large fide purchases naturally accompanying the extent; hundreds of barrels were shipped extension of trade which these returns from that manufactory to a well-known showed and that they were not merely spehouse in London. The well-known store- culative transfers. Now, does Hongkong keeper there whose goods they had eaten, exported thousands of bottles consigned to Chinese storekeepers had heard the results of the census rehere. So that the article manufactured turns. It had been sometimes asked and here and sent to England was sent out discussed what was the object with which to us here and retailed and consumed Hongkong was established. He had heard tured at Yau-mah-ti was the best in the

London market at recent sales, and the manufactory was most successful. manufacturers were not mentioned in the last census returns; there were now 7 of them. Spectacle makers also appeared for the first time in the census paper. Chinese Sugar Refiners had declined from 25 to 15; Farmers from 7 to 1. After giving some further figures his Excellency proceeded to say that all these proved that we had in this Colony a numerous manufacturing community and manufactures which had every prospect of extending. He had confined himself, in these figures entirerly to the Chinese manufacturing classes. There was also a large population of the industrial classes.

859 to 980. In addition to these figures representing the mercantile and trading be treated, how their physicians should treat them. But the European community and the Government of the Colony had also something to say as to the question of these Chinese doctors. He thought they owed a debt of gratitude to these Chinese doctors. as regarded the changes she was subject to. of an influx of small-pox. He knew noport in the world so liable to such a thing case that had been brought to the Colony,

No. 5581.-June 3, 1881. We learn that the Oriental Bank building, to steamer, and vice versa-how for these that the Doctors of the Tung Wah Hospital. movements have been facilitated since the had vaccinated very extensively, and that year 1876. In the returns he found that the Directors of the Tung Wah Hospital the movement was begun with steam- employed some of these 333 doctors as tralaunches, cargo boats, and sampans. The velling vaccinators to go about this Colony, steam launches have increased from 8 in and who had even visited the mainland 1876 to 37 now. The cargo boats from since, he thought in 1878, and had vaccin-494 to 656, and sampans from 1359 to afed very extensively. Thousands have So far as the machinery they have been vaccinated by them within the last in the harbour was concerned, the commer- three or four years. The figures would be cial movement in the Colony had substant found in the Blue Books of the Colony, In tighly increased. Amongst the returns the report of the Colonial Surgeon he could there was one which answered a question find no return made of the numbers vaccinated by the officers of the Colony,that was the returns of the occupations the Colonial Surgeon, the Health Officer, the Superintendent of the Hospital, and the Deputy Superintendent of the Hospital. He wrote a minute calling for such a return. The reply was that no such return had ever been kept. The Acting Colonial Secretary then wrote asking for approximate returns to be given from memory. A reply was sent

that ten persons were vaccinated in the hospital by the Superintendent. The Colonial Surgeon had not been able to give further information than that. The Health officer had vaccinated his own boy three times unsuccessfully. The Colonial Surgeon had vaccinated some 32:-15 unsuccessfully, and about the same number successfully. He (the Governor) sent tubes to the Colonial Surgeon from every-mail which were distributed amongst his professional brothren in Canton and no doubt produced good results. It might be fairly said that the Colonial Surgeon and the other mediformed for them, by the Doctors of the Tung-Wah Hospital did not think to necessary to look after it themselves, particularly as it was being done so well and so tho-After the Docters came the druggists; there were 243 as against 164 at the previous census and for the first time dentists appeared on the list; of these there were three. Twelve months ago he visited one of these dentists, not professionally found there the same apparently murderous and unpleasant apparatus which we were The dentist was a man of skill and intellig to 121; boat builders from 48 to 110; the returns. This was a gentleman whom carvers from 59 to 70.; digars makers 21 to he had not seen; but he believed they had the antidote to the geomancer also before to 60. Glass manufacturers appeared for them in the list, also for the first time, in the first time there were 16 of them at the the person of a Chinese barrister-at-law. present time. He believed at the present He thought they might all congratulate moment the glass-manufactory at the West | themselves on his presence there. There end of the town was capable of turning out | were amongst the Chinese returned three such glass as some of the European store newspaper editors. There were three in dealers were willing to sell; and he also 1876, but they were not exactly the same found that when a set of glass-ware was three. One of the three who was here in broken those so desiring could secure 1876 was a friend of his, the Chinese editor tumblers or whatever was wanted made of the China Mail, who was now receivat this manufactory from pattern to coin- ing a salary from the Chinese Governplete the set. Watchmakers appeared ment of £1200 a year in Cuba, where on the list for the first time; there were he was now Consul-General. . Of schoolnow 13 of them in the list. Opium boilers | masters there were now 171 as against 174

had decreased from 108 to 103, but that in 1876. The students had increased from 341 to 2562. These were not to be confounded with school boys, because they were all adults; for school boys there was anin rice pounders there was an increase, of other division in the returns; many of p inters had increased from 120 to 200 : photographers had increased also; storktellers had decreased till there was only one left, and the musicians unfortunately had apparent decrease, from 49 to, 41, that it dwindled down from 70 to 30. While the was only apparent. A larger trade was Chinese Bankers and such like increased in done in the manufacture than had previ- the land, the story tellers disappeared. ously been the case. A short time before Besides the manufactures to which he had the death of Mr Kwok Acheong he went already alluded they had thus an increasing with him and a number of other Chinese Chinese community taking part in industries and other gentlemen interested in the sub- which were of great importance to the comject, and visited the sauce manufactory, at mercial interests of the Colony, and Yau-mah-ti. The business was then in an therefore, he might fairly answer the atta shed because property had not at that question as to the land sales mentioned time been sold there for that purpose. Not they must admit that these large and fulfil the object with which it was established? That he need hardly ask after they

they, the petitioners, should be relieved from all charges. The Secretary of State The carpenters since the last census had in- who had to decide this question was a man creased from 2500 to 2923; the blacksmiths, of great ability. This was in 1846; the pewter-smiths, tinsmiths, braziers, had he was only a young man then, but also increased. There had also been large he gave attention to the subject and ncreases in rice pounders, tailors and considered the whole quetaion. He exstone-cutters. In the last branch above pressed his opinion that Hongkong was were was an increase from 449 to 1439. Of devoted solely and exclusively to commer-Chinese tailors there was a total number cial interests, that in a word it was estabnow on the census returns of 1837, most of lished in the interests of trading alone and them working in connection with sewing that the traders entirely should pay the machines. He found that these tailors expenses of the Colony. He found that imported drill from England and made it this Secretary of State had incurred a little up into clothes here with the sewing odium, because in a previous dispatch machine and then exported the same to he had recommended the Government to Australia, and so to some extent they cut have a land sale held of land in Victoria out the English and Australian manufact at which there would be none but Chinese. turer of clothes. Of birds'-nests sellers Representations had been made to the there was an increase of from 12 to Governor here from Sir Henry Pottinger Bean-curd sellers had increased from or Sir John Davis, that there was a cer-93 to 107. Jade stone dealers had in- tain class of Chinese peculiarly suitable forcreased. Ginseng dealers appeared for the merchants in the Colony, but owing to first time in the returns; these were 4 of the laws of China and the land jobbers them. Dealers in joss materials had in they could not compete for land here, so creased from 30 to 37; keepers of joss- that the Secretary of State took this houses from 17 to 41; chair-coolies from somewhat strong step of saying that there should be some land sales at which none but Chinese should compete. Some communities and the industrial classes the very severe comments were made in the census return threw light on different phases papers then published in the Colony, one of and departments of life in the Colony. In which His Excellency then read. [The

The particular brand manufactit said that it was a purely mulitary object. Some said it was a Naval Station. He had always been of the opinion that it was a com-Soap mercial purpose for which this Colony was established. He found, on referring to a despatch of Sir John Davis, that it was. there very broadly and clearly laid down. Sir John Davis had to deal with a memorial which had been forwarded from Hongkong in which the merchants of the Colony complained of the taxes. They represented that the Colony had been established apparently for a military object, and on that account they begged that the Government would direct that the military authorities pay the cost of the Establishment; and that

1876 there were 198 Chinese doctors; ac editorial set forth that the answer of cording to the present census there were Gladstone was universally regarded by The question might be asked whether every one with whom he had conversed they did much good. He thought that since its receipt as scaling the fate of Hongreally reated on the good sense of those who kong. It was not believed that it would employed them and those who did not, meet with any loud or violent outery, but The Chinese probably knew how they should the disgust of the community with the decision could not be easily over-estimated. Whatever trade the Colony had then would be speedily extinguished by the operation of this decision. But Gladstone's decision was justified the more and more every year. and now they lived in a Colony whose co Hongkong was peculiarly situated, so far mercial prosperity was unrivalled. spoke of the progress of the Colony to the Council not as legislators, but only deals with these silairs from the standpoint that as Hongkong. Day after day he got a las the Colony makes progress without the imposition of any new taxes, so would the

still it did not spread. In the course Colonial revenue continue to improve. of a conversation with Dr Adams the That also had taken place. The revenue other day that gentleman told him that for 1878 was £197,000; that for 1879 was he had to examine the Chinese who emi- £200,000; that for 1880 was £222,000. grated and that he had inveriably found For 1878 the expenditure was £189,000; that the older Chinese had three or for 1879, £193,000; and for 1880, £197,000; four vaccination marks on their arms. He that showed too that the expenditure was was puzzled for some time how to account kept, he thought very prudently kept, with-

for this. On making enquiries he found in the revenue. At first the tases here

stand he had been done. He General had given his opinion, and that othere was 3600 odmissions and a still fur haper were as follows: had gver peen during the four years he had opinion was not found fault with by the ther decline had taken place. In saying been Governor only too anxious to listin to Acting Colonial Secretary The state that the police force was thoroughly Governor Sir Hercules Robinson's recomany suggestion from the Hon, members of of things, which succeeded was that in efficient he had to do full justice to what thendations as to Remission of Sentences this Council for any retrenchment or expenditive. No division had taken place in complied with the condition of the scale the Council during that four years, a fact of, remission, of sentences, and the gad which might astonish the kon members of Superintendent. requested that he council who had occupied positions on might be authorised to discharge the Councils of Singapore and Jaffaica. Them, and suggested that they should force for bad conduct. He established to the conditions of remissions of sentences are to the force for bad conduct. He established to the conditions of remissions of sentences are to the force for bad conduct. He established to authorized conditions of remissions of sentences. seemed to exist as to the functions of this Council. It was the custom of the newspapers here and elsewhere to lay great weight upon the point that unofficial menibers had no power to initiate anything.

and that they should be treated as the other and craffe in the Colony because by whiching decimes its was merely his own opinion,

to some restrictions which had beared to be utterly demoralised and he the rational antidotes to crime. been, and others which were threatened was requested to less no time in carefully temperante, frigality? and filial affection and asked bim not to allow them to be examining the state of erbbe and which had distinguished them above a hampered with undie or unfair restrictions, police in the Colony. But, before Sir other taces and all these were untidotes at

success here. He referred in conclusion had be and by one of the best Secretaries to the "foreign policy" that it was the State that had ever written to this Colony duty of the Governor of this Colon to (Lord Derby) that branding impressed an approval of the Council :—
maintain with regard to the council invisible mark on the check and character which we were so near the Fris Excellency of the criminal from which he could never dustry, the traperance, the reverence for Arthur Kennedy expressed an opinion as

expressed a hope-and this he did with the tollier tollier by Sir A. Kennedy. The to come, whoever might succeed him, they hesitation submitted the Ordinance to Her might find not only the Chinese but the Majesty now asked him His Excellency) Europeans in the Colony most eminently to repeal its Why had he done so? He

That fell exclusively on the Chinese. On Mr. Tomlin. At all events Sir H. Robinson might say he put it before them. The the other hand the spirit licenses and cer- wrote to the Secretary of State and the Secretary of State and the Secretary of State and the spirit licenses and cer- wrote to the Secretary of State and the Secretary of State and the Secretary of State and the spirit licenses and cer- wrote to the Secretary of State and Europeans, But taking them all in all we done. Certain regulations for the remission wante on the statue book, but it chuldn't b were lightly taxed. There was no Income of sentences were promulgated in the Co- efforced if the Governor did her so wish tax. Hongkong was a free port. There long, and posted on the notice board of the only exercised this function in stepping was no colonial debt, and there was a fair the Galand translated to the prisoner sphich them pro temper reporting what he did to aurplus, less than one year's income. What was duly reported to Hot Majesty's Go. Her Majesty's Government. He heard had the Government done for these taxes a vernment. Sir H. Robinson also built all that could be said for the quisting It had kept up a proper police force for the a gaol on Stone Outter's Island he being of system; and carefully considered, what It had sustained a body of men to opinion that a gaof on the separate systemdischarge the ordinary functions of Goy- where there was ample room for extension, ernment represented by the various Est large yards for reformatory discipline, tablishments of the Colony . Whatever was best. The Duke of Newcastle approved required to get the Su- for the good so built Sir H. Robinson left preme Court into proper working order, the Colony for Coylon, and that year his what Sir John Smale and His Honor the successor came—an able and determined Acting Chief Justice had recommended to man, anxious to do right. Immediate for seven terpor littled years. The populate the successor came—an able and determined come back; the supplied to the commended to man, anxious to do right. Immediate for seven terpor littled years. The populate the successor came—an able and determined come back; the supplied to the populate the successor came—an able and determined come back; the supplied to the populate the successor came—an able and determined come back; the supplied to the populate the successor came—an able and determined come back; the supplied to the populate the successor came—an able and determined come back; the supplied to the populate the successor came—an able and determined for seven terpor littled years. The populate the populate the successor came—an able and determined for seven terpor littled years. The populate the successor came—an able and determined for seven terpor littled years. The populate the populate the successor came—an able and determined for seven terpor littled years. The populate the population is a successor came—an able and determined for seven terpor littled years. The population is a successor came—an able and determined for seven terpor littled years. The population is a successor came—an able and determined for seven terpor littled years. The population is a successor came—an able and determined for seven terpor littled years. The population is a successor came—an able and determined for seven terpor littled years. The population is a successor came—an able and commended for seven terpor littled years. The commended is a little of years. The population is a successor came—an able and commended for seven terpor littled years. The commended is a little of years. The population is a successor came—an able of years. The population is a successor came—an able of years. The commended is a little of years. The commended is a little of years. The population is a successor came—an able of years. The commended is a little of years. The com

> be branded, as they were willing to large contingent of Chinese and inbe narked and deported. That was sisted done and the Executive Council informed recruited in England by the Grown that it would require Legislative The mark to be put upon agents, who selected admirable men. A chartener is a content of the man then: That was in 1866. In 1870 Mr May, proposal Police Magistrate, wrote a letter to the away the district watchmen because ther Colonial Secretary, calling attention to the were Chinese. He was happy to say that

they remove the However an alteration was made in the remission system. There facts having book Foreign practice upon the indvice of the Attorney put before Her Majesty's Covernment the The most that the tonden which General. The most thing that occurred was I result was that Lord Kimberley, had on the frontied to the public furginess, and guided that Sir Richard MacDonnell was away from 29th of July last given him instructions to sho branding light all laws that allow fee commerce of the Colony was such a the Colony and came back again and placed curry out the recommendation he had glogging in Chinese me sively be repealed? representative body was one reason why the Abdinance No. 4 of 1822 on the statute made, which was that public-flogging should what no diogging be also ed except for such "the great prosperity of the Colony was at book. It was called the branding and florging be abolished by law in Hongkong. In foffices assertad florging in England, and natural and safe prosperity. His Excels ordinance. He might mention that an indignal September 4877 when I kind the facts before that public florging be abolished by law: lency next took the opportunity of saying a tion meeting was held by certain gentlementin. The Council they said he should confine him few words on a subject that had no doubt the Colony, who expressed the opinion that self to stating his views without endeasometimes attracted their attention, The the Chinese in the Colony were Mcorrigible vonting to enforce them in any way. Ac milegation had been repeatedly made that and that they could never be dealt with then ventured to say that the did not in the four years of his Government he unless by branding and the lash. A great approve of the pinishments in vogue in had to anythen called the Chinese. He deal was said about the necessity of giving the Colony, and an general grounds probelieved that it was the duty of a Governor, them plente of the lash, marking them, dealing with a community such as we found and departing them. It was pointed out that now there were special grounds which here, to carefully avoid what was popularly that it was a most economical system, in this Colony induced him known as encouraging any one or any body because they had not to feed them in gaol. | these recommendations, and it was this or class, but to hold the balance equally. The ordinance passed. It was an interest. That in his brief career as Colomai between all. That way all he had done. ing fact that whilst it passed upon the Covernor be had to deal with many these; He came here, with experience of the allegation that the Chinese Community was four ewn race of the Conited Kingdom. The Chinese on the other side of the China Sea, I so incorrigibly eriminal, and passed upon, negrois, in West Africa and in the West and was called on here on his arrival by that ground in April 1872, there came to Indies the Malay race and the Chinese, and many Chinese who frankly told him their the Colony a Governor, who shad been in and it was higherest conviction that of all the position asked for no favour, but that there structed by Her Majesty's Government to race he had some across the Chinese was the should be no restriction placed upon them, look specially into the questions of police least criminally disposed and he sall so not

The Governor their went into a bong Rielmid MacDonnell had feft he appointed the criminal character o Therefore their narrative of his dealings with respect to a de Committee himself on the subject, but hight with safety do what eller Majesty proposed provision as to the size of Chinese | the Sorretary of Style stold thin when he Government had instructed him to do, a graves, which provise he vetood on the wrote to him on the subject; that all that that was to pas a bill for amending strength of hopresentations from a deputa hops to be left to Sir A Kennedy. Sir the penal, legislation of Hongkong. The tion of Chipese for whors Chun Ayin was Arthur came, and the Committee presented | ordinance had beerishafted by the Attorney spokesman. He also sent representations their report to him. Meantime the Or- General and fransmitted to the Holve-Go home as to the injustice of a rule pro- dinance had gone home to be continued, vernment. On its being refurned the posed by the Surgeyor General with because no ordinance that imposed upon larges General and two verbal regard to the extension of Chinese buildings. The effect of both of these rules would have been to prevent the inflix would have been to prevent the inflix. would have been to prevent the infling of Chinese to the Colony, and to drive these pay resident here out of it. He for the same reason refuselt to countendance the same reason refuselt to countendance the partners in all Chinese History and the fraction of the Chamber of Commerce that the would be registered. The same remarks in July 1872, the drafts of the Commission of the continuous or the same that the would in the same from the same from time to time, he same that the would in the same from the in the first of the second of the continue of extent tended to render prosperous the Colony was as orderly as any in Her Ma-British merchants here, the English, Scotch | justy's dominion. Mr Ball was the the and Irish, on whose commerce the prosper member of the Legislative Courses who had rity of the Colony as a whole could not but entered his the branding have its effect. He referred to the order, and yet My bal was not particularly growth of public companies and their partial to Charles. He said in effect what

recover, - In April of the same year Sir the commercial probity and the to the criminality of the Chinese, as to their other virtues of the Chinese, and being a law-abiding and orderly people. The oped they would not "progress" from the Ordinance came out, and with it there double thet work in as regards these came a despatch from the Socretary of

or the United States. In conclusion he when a minute was price to the transfer of the when a minute was price to the transfer of the transfer that log many years same Secretary of State that with extreme arrived here in April 1877, and his attention

was to be done: He found liter in few to the Supreme Court, its topper fumb tions and in telling Blagistrates to send old once, relating to the water supply and offenders to that Court for trial instead of branding them and letting them out to come back; the Suprem Court but their in

that the Europeans whould

bers, hid no power, to initiati) anything, that the position of unofficial members wis a peculiar one and a somewhat unpleasant one on that account. As a fact the uncome of the House of the House of Commons in England. They could administ any vote or motion, but it must not deal with the expending of practice by the commons in England. They could administ any vote or motion, but it must not deal with the expending of practice by the form of premise of the House of Commons in England. They could administ any vote or motion, but it must not deal with the expending of practice by the form of premise of the House of Commons in England. They could administ any vote or motion, but it must not deal with the expending of practice by the form of premise by the form of premise of the form of premise by the form of premise of the form of premise by the form of premise of the form of premise by the form of premise by the form of premise by the form of the form of premise by the form of the form of premise by the form of the form of premise by the form o the Colony, and on general grounds protested against them. But he much say

aving it read a second time.

The following payments authorised excess of the estimates of 1880 requiring Legislative authority had been passed by the Finance Committee, May 25th, and were ESTABLISHMENTS.

Postmuster General. - Contingencies :-Harbour Master. - Salary of the Engineer Surveyor, at \$160 per month, for 4 months \$640; Salary of 2 Shipwright Surveyors \$100 each per month, for 4 months, \$800

Mexical Salaries 51-210

Skievices exceptive or establishments.

Judicial.—Administration of Justice,—

Long-Meliculation of Justice,—

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Fees to Counsels and Solicitors for prisoners in Capital cases,—excess, 8250

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Giers and Baron A. de Nicolai. The above were all Liberal members of the Government.

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might appear to be a little unfair, but in a robbit was of sentence upon medefinite plan. We been for ton years. He therefore concommunity like this he thought it would be and he was bound to say though it inight before the question and addressed the impossible up have commended itself to his strong good the initial members of the accratch at the foot of the codicil. Was it a
they are. The oping revenue was £47,708. sense, that if had been suggested to him by their opinion upon it week after week, he
Logislative Council,—\$646.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE, The following papers were laid on

1. Government Notification, No. 153,-Chinese Emigration to Australia. 2. Letter of the 30th June 1880, laid beyears experience that he did right in giving fore the Council at the request of the Surveyor General, and subsequent correspond-

3. Copies and extracts of despatches re-

New condition (besilling) introduced.

Decision of State (The Earl of Kalberley) asserting to Governor's rebe drepared, dor his consideration, to carry.

Secretary of State notices of rease Dist Bill for carrying out the recombuitted to Beeretary of State and au-The Council adjourned nine die

SUPREME COURT ON PROBATE. tore IF & Promone the Action & This

M. A. Baptista, and others. This was a case in which it was sought to ipact the validity of the codicil to the will Rafael Arcanjo do Rozario, the late

Mr Hayllar, instructed by Messra Breteton and Wotton, appeared for the plaintiff'; Toller, and Johnson, for the defendants.

testator into signing the codicil. They sition of his property, ordinary evidence at any other. The secreey was not a suswas not authorient. Proof must be given to picious circumstance it might have been. The arbitrary conduct of the Beers has

the went coer the circumstances of or preached to by disappointed and ravenous on the island of Zabarkee, and the French the case. The back of the responsibility of this troops have occupied the island. he did that like to contemplate death, in view The world of the relatives at to the testator threspecial to the disposition until the world of the relatives at to the testator threspecial to the haven a shell, with which the production of the Government of the haven a shell, with which the production of the Government of the death they urged and conversed loaded, burst Eight persons were killed ment.

Beneral Skobeleff arrived here to day.

satisfactory signature? If any suspicion arose been introduced to give a cold Surveyer General's Department Increase out of the evidence or out of his com- case for the other side. These injuriously, these facts arose naturally and of aspect that might be expend the case. inevitably. They arose out of the action of judice wis minds of those hear ed of all the Valentine and his friends. If, when they knew a codicil was to be made solely and so-called suspicions which had so with had s wholly in their interest, they had taken proper from the learned friend's interest, and per precautions that everything was duly done, their position would have been unplaced in their proper light. The brought a a man who had thought of his reputation gainst his client was a very a natter of vital and for that of others and the rights of the verdict of the Jury was an honest and others would not take part in the preparation importance to him. He was ig his living in

precautions had not preserved such an absurd | slur on him and aguid secresy about the making and existence of He expressed a different the codicil, the thing could have been so them that they could finding him to be managed as to have been as close to daylight. \against bis client with There could then have been no suggestion of an unmitigated rascal

been made to sweep Executive Munites me remission his water size of clothes. At first they had ict watchmen because their willing to be unricked. The first suit of clothes the was happy to say that Broad-strow on lobe of the strong life but suspicions. The first suit of clothes the testator's sanity was left out. If the testator's sanity was not in dispute he must be stabbing Valentine in the dark by the imputation of forging his uncle's sometime. The second suit of clothes had been thrown away that morning. His learned friend liad said that morning that of undle influence there had been none. They had heard records of the Ecclesisstical Courts now some what fusty: These were cases where the willprepared by somebody, conferred a benefit on the preparer. He denied that this in any way affected their case. All these had been prepared by Atterneys at the bedside of the testators, and bequests to them were naturally looked open with suspicion. He denied the analogy of walentine and his uncle had lived in complete friendship, There was no suspicion that Mr Rozario had fied the hand of the testator. His friend had harped on independent testi mony. He would read a criticism on the cases read by his learned friend. It was Williams on the duties of executors, This sei forth that Nicoll, in his views on the natter was incorrect. The whole of the doctrine about independent testimony had been blown to the winds. The plaintiff had been submitted to a cross-examination which he could only call ferocious. This man had been an intimate friend of the deceased. a trusted friend; and was man's word not to be taken as more

commindations, and directing Ordinance to than a mere cloud of suspicion ! He had had no wish to tear off the vell of decency which should hang over a dead man's life. Mr Rozario had lixed the life which had suited him, but he (Mr Hayllar) thought. that those matters should have been left as testator left them. The question which had been put to the plaintiff "Do you know who your own father was," put him to the blush (a laugh). It was not a matter for laughter. It was a shame to call upon a man in that manner to say who his father was, and thus cast imputations upon his mother. A man's mother, be she who she Fishmongers' Company, and speeches were may, was a sacred object, and unless it was delivered by Lord Hartington, Mr Bright, body here have rejected the conditions im-Constices necessary to prove something about the man smother, why should she have been

inaditation that his mother was not properly Romann, deceased the covent entered by bud Inly married to somebody. I put the nuestion-" Did you know your

Mr Hallar, resuming, said the question

was "Dkryou know who your father was !" A very different thing. He then proceeded to deal with the circumstances connected with the signing of the codicil and the The dearned by Messrecharp, testimony of the witnesses. The learned of undue influence was not for their consi- codicil was the most natural one. He had nefather; the Hon. Adela Mary Wilbraham; deration, as Valentine had not worried the been stricken down with paralysis and had Lady Charlotte Russell. recovered; he was then taken with asthma said that the testator did not know and and was or believed he was approaching Ireland under the Coercion Act. understand the contents. He was, if there death. Then natural affection asserted ithad been a solicitor present to have ex- self on behalf of those to whom he was League Convention in Dublin a resolution plained the contents of the instrument, bound by long association and good services | was carried giving the Irish Parliamentary probably capable of having made this codi- on the part of his adopted son, faithfulness party full latitude to devise amendments now brought forward for and accorded the cil. In the case of a man of competent on the part of this woman who had been and watch the progress of the Land Bill in mental capacity it was only necessary to his companion for 24 years, and this other. the House of Commons. prove that he did sign the will, but where woman of whose relations with him they | The eviction of tenants in Ireland has there were suspicious circumstances, where knew little or nothing, asserted themselves given rise to several conflicts with the police. there were secrecy and an unnatural dispo- more powerfully at such a time than perhaps An English edition, of the Sa

The same of the state of the st All these had seen no paper of any sort hot recognize chore than to his relations From the United States we learn that H. C. M. S. boat Co., \$31 press. signed, and some of these were there all whom the Law did fully recognise, that a great loss has been caused by a railway Shai Steam Nav., The S per a nominal

aring to the of a document by which he was to be largely bespectable young man eating and had benefitted. If the testator, assuming it to a respectable way. His fer be his codicil, if Valentine himself, had told the July that, whate decision they

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The Court then sajourned till to morro

### NEWS IN ADVANCE OF THE FRENCH MAIL.

(From Home Papers.) We compile the following Summary from Home Vapers to hand this morning from Syngapore, by the steamship Moray. good part of the news by this mail has

been anticipated by the telegrams we have published from the latest American papers. Sir Chas. Dilke has announced that there. is no reason to believe British interests in Tunis threatened by the operations of the French-troops which Lord Lyons had been assured would be confined to the punish ment of the frontier tribes. N

braltar for the China Station. Orders have been given for the moderate preparation of the Afghan war medal. Numerous petitions against the Opium trade have been presented to Parliament. The Chinese steamer Hagein has arrived

The gunboat Swift has sailed from Gi-

The Bank rate of discount has been lowered to 21 per cent. and in the open market the rate is quoted at 24 to 24 per cent. The Bank return shows an increase in the proportion of reserve to liabilities to 49% per cent. The advance in the Bank rate has caused a further advance in the Stock market. Consols are quoted 1011 to

Reports are given in this mail's papers of the proceedings at the meetings of the Great Northern Telegraph Company, and the National Bank of India.

Mr Bradlaugh's claim to take the oath has been refused by 208 to 174. The West Cheshire election has resulted in the return of Mr .H. J. Tollemache by a majority of 382 votes over his Liberal opponent, Mr Tomkinson.

Several Cabinet Ministers were present, on April 27, at a banquet given by the Ministry, and Sir W. Harcourt. The French forces have crosted the Turis

position, native feeling has become highly excited.

The Bey has protested formally to the Great Powers against the French invasion. The Turco-Greek question is still unsettled; the greatest dissatisfaction with the Government prevails amongst the multitude at Athens, and it is thought that the deposition of the King may be imminent, The inquiry at Constantinople into the Counsel than went on to compare some alleged murder of the ex-Sultan Abdul The case was beard before a jury con- of the conditions in the draft that Aziz is being carried on, but with great sals at Salyrna having refused him an

There more arrests have been made in At the concluding sitting of the Land

show that the contents of the codicil worse stand the secrecy been Valentine's, but it was given tise to much libraring and a renewal known to the test of hestiffied in threatened. to independent of the ofidence of mersons tator, who no doubt desired as everybody The French fronciad Surreillante has benefited under the fill Mr Francis did, to die in peace and not be importuned bopibarded and destroyed the Tunisian fort

have been signed. In these circumstances of property. As to the morality of the ferry boat in Illinois. A statue of Admiral Hongkong Gas Co., \$82 per share. he asked, Where was the opportunity for testator's life it was a matter entirely apart Farragut has been unveiled at Washington. Hongkong Hotel Co., \$107} per share,

LONDON TELEGRAMS London, May 11.-Consols closed yesterday at 1028.

May 12.—Mr Bradlaugh has written a letter to the Speaker of the House of Commons, stating that his late expulsion from the House was illegal. Sir Wilfred Lawson gave notice in the

May 13.—The Standard publishes a tele assailable. An honest man, a delicate man, in canclusion that the chargious one and has taken place in the Transvanl between the native tribes and Boers. Consols closed yesterday at 102

The Franco-Tunisian treaty places Tunis in a state of vassalage towards France The latter has control of the profices and all foreign relations, and is charled to send lating to opium smuggling from Hongkong thought for a moment, and taken proper came to then, it could him no harm. troops to any part of the country Great excitement provails in Italy in Consequence Mr Bradlaugh, in the House of Common

last night, we-demanded his right to take anything wrong. If the jury were satisfied Mr Francis: I design pointed out that ojected and forbidden to enter the precincts.

forgotten by them.

Mr Hayllar said he did not know the learned counsel concluded by the 24th March last, any of the july had the true any of the july had the true any of the july had the true any of the learned counsel to time he had Lord Hartington stated that the Government was not responsible for the delay in

producing the papers in question. Mr Gladstone made a statement in the House of Commons last night concerning the Oaths Bill, to the effect that in consequence of the opposition it has niet with. the Ministry will withdraw the bill until

the Irish Land Bill is passed, The French treaty with Tunis has caused a great sensation throughout Europe. May 15 .- Numerous further arrests of

Land Leaguers have been made in Ireland. May 17. - The House of Commons last night resumed the debate on the Irish Land Bill. Mr Gladstone said that Government attached its fortunes to the bill : the rejection of the present bill-would necessitate a larger measure in the future, and therefore the Government would strongly oppose any amondments vitally affecting its principles. . May 18. - Mr Gladstone is again indispoed and has been ordered by his physicians

to take rest. May 19. -Mr Gladstone has so far recovered from his indisposition as to be ableto transact business. Consols closed last evening 1023.

CONTINENTAL TELEGRAMS

Paris. May 10. At's meeting of the metallic conference to-day, the Italian delegate spoke on behalf of bi-metallio standard. The delegate from the Swiss Confederation, M. Burckhard dwelt upon the scarcity of gold in the Swiss Confederation. M. Thoemer, th Russian delegate, advocated a gold stan

Paris, May 11. - The French Government has sent a circular to its representatives abroadatating it will require the rectification of the Tunisian frontier with a guarantee against hostile intrigues in Tunis. Vienna, May 10.—The nuptials of the

Imperial Prince of Austria and the Princess Stephanie of Belgium were celebrated today H.R.H. the Prince of Wales was Rome, May 14. The Italian Ministry

has resigned in consequence of the Tunisian Signor Sella of the Right has been deputed by King Humbert to form a new

Constantistople, May 16. - The diplomatic pesed by Turkey in connection with the de Greek frontier question. h May 17 The Porte be withdrawn to

frontier question objected to by the diplomatic body, and it is now expected the Convention with Greece will be signed." Midhat Pashe has been deposed from his position as Governor-General of Syria and has been accused of complicity with the murder of Abdul Aziz. He was ordered to

be arrested, but has fied to the French Consul there to protect him, May 18. - Midhat Pasha has surrendered himself to the Turkish authorities, the con-

Algiers, May 11.—The French troopshave occupied the town of Sabella in Tunis. May 13.—The Bey of Tunis has accepted the ultimatum of the French Government and has signed a treaty agreeing to the appointment of a French Resident in Tunis. The French troops have consequently not occupied the City of Tunis.

May 15.—The Bey of Tunis has informed the Porte that the treaty just concluded with the French Government was extorted by superior force. The Porte, in reply denies of the Bey of Tunis being competent to conclude the said treaty. Cairo, May 12.-News has been received

here that order has been restored in Mecca. Athens, May 13. - The conditions imposed by Turkey are causing the Greek Government to delay entering into a Convention on the frontier question. A feeling of uneasiness is prevailing in Greece, owing to the continual influx of Turkish troops into Thessaly.

St. Pelersburg, May 11.—The Emperor of Russia has issued a manifesto in which he states he is determined to maintain the tic posses and to example shuttons May 12.—Serious riots suppret the Jews have occurred in South Russia.

May 13.-M. de Ostrowski has been an pointed Minister of Imperial domains. The Russian ministry has resigned. May 15.—The members of the Russian Ministry who have resigned are General Loris-Melikoff, M. A. Abaza, M. N. de

May 18 .- A circular has been issued by Court Ignation, the new Minister of the Interior, stating that autocracy alone is able to remedy the evils concerned with. the internal affairs of the Empire. The Government will endeavour to exterpate the spirit of rebellion and strengthen the faith and morals of the people and to

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